

STATE OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.ACREAGE SOWN, SEASON 1929-30.

From returns received from Farmers and general reports from the Police collectors in the Agricultural Hundreds of the State, the following particulars of the Acreage sown with Wheat, Barley and Oats have been estimated. In the Upper North and Murray Mallee and to some extent in the Western Division it is reported that large areas have failed, otherwise the reports are fairly favorable but since their receipt there have been 3 weeks of dry weather. With the useful rains falling at date hereof, the prospects are good for a return of 25,000,000 Bushels and upwards.

Division	WHEAT	BARLEY	OATS	GRAND TOTAL		Prepared for 1929-30	
				1929-30	1928-29	Fallowed	Cleared for Ploughing
Central	653,000	201,000	109,000	963,000	959,480	511,651	14,712
Lower North	879,000	61,000	65,000	1,005,000	986,916	730,866	11,065
Upper North	283,000	1,000	4,000	288,000	298,214	204,171	1,901
South Eastern	48,000	13,000	47,000	108,000	107,890	24,720	5,028
Western	1,052,000	8,500	138,000	1,198,500	1,028,452	274,453	242,754
Murray Mallee	1,028,000	12,500	177,000	1,217,500	1,107,257	461,777	171,293
GRAND TOTAL	3,943,000	297,000	540,000	4,780,000	4,488,209	2,207,638	446,753
INCREASE	169,399	38,430	83,962	291,791		38,155	51,213

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